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FOR AHERNE, MOSSELLEM, EAGLESBURGER, SPRINGSTEEN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: ACTIONS TAKEN

1. 7608526, JOINT COMMUNIQUE/GHANA. APPROVED, IN PRINCIPLE, A JOINT COMMUNIQUE, BUT NOT THE TEXT CONTAINED IN 7608526.
2. 7608226, OECD MINISTERIAL MEETING. THE SECRETARY APPROVED ALL FOUR RECOMMENDATION, AND ADDED "SHOULDN'T WE PROPOSE COORDINATION OF AID PROGRAMS, AS LEAST IN AFRICA."
3. 7608474 WITH XR 7607404, DINNER MEETING OF THE BUSINESS COUNCIL, HOT SPRINGS, ON MAY 7, FROM PA/REINHARDT. SECRETARY APPROVED DIRECT AIR TRANSIT FROM ANDREWS (ARRIVAL FROM AFRICA) TO INGALLS FIELD, HOT SPRINGS, RESTING AT THE HOMESTEAD BEFORE THE EVENING DINNER ENGAGEMENT. ALSO APPROVED ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL FRIDAY NIGHT, LEAVING EARLY SATURDAY MORNING. MRS. KISSINGER WILL REPEAT WILL ACCOMPANY, AND PRESUMABLY WILL WISH TO BE AT ANDREWS UPON THE SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL TO ACCOMPANY HIM TO HOT SPRINGS. SECRETARY TOOK NO ACTION RE PRESS CONFERENCE ON SATURDAY OR ON PROGRAM FORMAT. WE WILL RESUBMIT LSE NOTE TO THE SECRETARY LATER DURING AFRICAN TRIP (PROBABLY ON THE FLIGHT FROM NAIROBI TO CRETE.)
4. 7608411, US-INDONESIAN CONSULTATIONS. SECRETARY
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DISAPPROVED SATURDAY JUNE 26TH AND WROTE IN THE MARGIN

"LATER IN THE WEEK OF JUNE 27TH." PLEASE DISCUSS WITH BOB MILLER IN EA.

5. 7608465, AMBASSADOR GATES DISCUSSIONS IN PEKING. SECRETARY APPROVED THE PROPOSED PRESIDENTIAL LETTER TO HUA, AND AGREED TO MEET TO DISCUSS THE LETTER TO MAO AND THE TALKING POINTS.

6. 7608527, TALKING POINTS FOR GATES TO USE WITH HUA. SECRETARY APPROVED THE TALKING POINTS, AS AMENDED. AMENDMENTS CONSIST OF FOLLOWING: PAGE 2, LINE 17, SHOULD READ "PRESIDENT FORD AND SECRETARY KISSINGER ARE ABSOLUTELY COMMITTED TO THIS GOAL..." PAGE 3, SECOND TICK, FINAL SENTENCE, SUBSTITUTE "WOULD" FOR "MIGHT". THIRD TICK, FOURTH LINE, SHOULD READ "THEIR INFLUENCE BY MILITARY MEANS OR MILITARY PRESSURE, WHETHER DIRECTLY..." PAGE 5, FIRST TICK SHOULD READ "WE ARE GRATIFIED THAT YOUR GOVERNMENT HAS RESPONDED TO PRESIDENT SADAT'S REQUEST FOR MILITARY EQUIPMENT, AND HOPE THAT YOU WILL FIND IT POSSIBLE TO CONTINUE THAT AID. WE ARE PROVIDING SOME TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT, AND PRESIDENT SADAT UNDERSTANDS WHY WE CANNOT DO MORE THIS YEAR. WE HOPE TO PROVIDE MORE MILITARY AID IN THE FUTURE." SECOND TICK, SECOND SENTENCE, SHOULD READ "IT REMAINS A DIFFICULT PROBLEM, AND WE DO NOT EXPECT A MAJOR BREAKTHROUGH IN THE NEAR FUTURE." PAGE 6, FIRST TICK SHOULD READ "ALTHOUGH SYRIA HAS TAKEN A HARDER POSITION THAN EGYPT REGARDING A SETTLEMENT WITH ISRAEL, WE HAVE WELCOMED SYRIA'S EFFORTS TO HELP RESOLVE THE CIVIL STRIFE IN LEBANON. PRESIDENT FORD SENT A SPECIAL EMISSARY, AMBASSADOR BROWN, TO LEBANON TO SUPPORT THOSE EFFORTS. WE THINK PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE AND IN A MANNER THAT HAS REDUCED SOVIEIT INFLUENCE."

7. 7608521, UNTITLED MEMO FROM EUR ABOUT THE LUNCHEON FOR THE KING AND QUEEM OF SPAIN, THE SECRETARY APPROVED A SMALL LUNCHEON (ABOUT 48 PEOPLE) AT 1:00 PM ON JUNE 3RD. FOR S AND LSE ONLY, SECRETARY MADE NO COMMENT ON LSE NOTE ABOUT RUNNING OUT OF DOLLARS AND ASKING IF THE GROUP COULDN'T BE HELD TO AROUND 100. FOR S ONLY, SECRETARY'S CONFIDENTIAL

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APPROVAL OF SMALL LUNCH PRESUMABLY IMPLIES APPROVAL OF SMALL GUEST LIST (TAB B) ATTACHED TO THIS MEMO. SUGGEST, HOWEVER, THAT SUZANNE BE ASKED TO LOOK IT OVER, BEARING IN MIND THE KING'S BACKGROUND AND INTERESTS, AND THAT THE EUR PROPOSED LIST NOT NECESSARILY BE CONSIDERED FINAL.

8. 7608489, INVITATIONS TO SOCIAL FUNCTIONS OF UNCTAD

IV. SECRETARY APPROVED, IN PRINCIPLE, THE PRESENCE OF SUB-MINISTERIAL DELEGATIONS HEADS FOR HIS THREE UNCTAD SOCIAL FUNCTIONS.

9. 7608505, NEXT STEPS IN THAILAND. SECRETARY APPROVED THE CABLE TO BANGKOK. (ORIGINAL OF MESSAGE HELD IN S/S.)

10. 7608403, QUESTION FROM SENATOR HUMPHREY, PA. SECRETARY AUTHORIZED TRANSMITTAL OF PROPOSED RESPONSE. (REGRET THAT WE HAVE ORIGINAL OF THE MCCLOSKEY-HUMPHREY LETTER.)

11. 7608502, DINNER FOR US DELEGATION TO UNCTAD IV. SECRETARY AGREED THAT WIVES BE INCLUDED IN THE MAY 5 DINNER.

12. 7608473, NORTH KOREAN MESSAGE. SECRETARY APPROVED TELEGRAM AT TAB 1 CONTAINING INSTRUCTIONS TO USUN. SECRETARY ADDED FOLLOWING NOTE: "NORTH KOREAN NOTE SHOULD BE SENT TO SEOUL. PAK SHOULD BE TOLD THAT WE INTEND TO REPLY 1) WE ARE PREPARED TO TALK TO NORTH KOREA IN ANY FORUM WHERE SOUTH KOREA PARTICIPATES, AND 2) WHAT DOES THE ROK THINKS?" THEN A DRAFT REPLY TO THE NORTH KOREANS TO BE GIVEN TO THE SECRETARY FOR APPROVAL. KISSINGER

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